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DATA TO OBTAIN A VELOCITY FIELD

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AMENDMENT AFTER NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE 37 CFR 1.312

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Amendment set forth in the Notice of Allowability mailed May 16, 2006, the following is submitted:

Amendments to the Claims begin at page 2 of this response; and Remarks/Arguments begin on page 24 of this response.